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THERE WILL BE PEACE.

Major John McBride, who fought with the Boers but is now in honorable exile in Paris, is not for an uprising of the Irish people against the British government. He is as impetuous for war as were the Fenians whose daring invasion of Canada was stopped by the Kanuck police, who put a number of the gallant followers of James Stephens in the calaboose like common drunks. He wrote a new year greeting to the McBride Club of Dublin that would up with a declaration that sounds like a volley of musketry:

Here is what he said: "There is only one thing that can put new soul into Erin. That is the merry clash of steel kissing steel or the swift sharp ping of the bullet as it seeks a tyrant's heart. Your task is a sacred one. Don't falter in your mission and your few thousands of today will be hundreds of thousands tomorrow. Then hurrah for the finish of the vilest race that ever cumbered God's earth. Of what use are protests? We have boasted long and loud of what we would do when England was in trouble. She is in miserable plight today and we do nothing. One rifle is worth 100,000 protests. I wish you a happy New Year and more Irish Ireland and the dismemberment of the Cain-marked British Empire."

This was read with cheers within a stone's throw of Dublin Castle, and the Boers were toasted again and again for the heroic struggle to preserve their liberties.

But there will hardly be war in Old Ireland just yet. It would be a hopeless fight as matters stand, and a majority of Irishmen understand that peaceful agitation promises more beneficial results than a resort to arms. Ireland is more prosperous than she has been since the great famine and there is a steady improvement in the condition of the masses. The banks show deposits, indicating that the people are saving money. As to crime and vice Ireland shows a cleaner bill of health than any country in Europe. Therefore the "pikes will not be ready by the rising of the moon," notwithstanding Major McBride's desire for the immediate opening of hostilities. His eagerness for war will hardly cause the price of consols to fall.

In some sections of the Eastern States there is actually a coal famine although coal production in the United States touched high water mark last year. No stronger proof could be given of the extraordinary industrial activity prevailing in this country, for the coal supply was supplemented by the enormous production of fuel oil in California and Texas. So difficult is it to get coal that some of the railroads and manufacturing plants have been compelled to burn wood. One of the causes of the scarcity of coal is the shortage of coal cars. The demand has increased so rapidly that the railroads have been unable to keep up with it.

The traveling men are going to be accommodated in style at the St. Louis Exposition. At the last meeting of the Travelers' Protective Association it was decided to erect national headquarters at the fair grounds, and the sum of \$107,000 was raised for that purpose. Plans have been drafted for a beautiful building to cost \$100,000. It will be 175 feet long, with two wings eighty feet in length, and will contain lounging, billiard, dining and assembly rooms, besides other apartments for the special convenience of traveling men. In short, it will be a sort of club for the members of the association.

The fine old Tory Squire who edits the London Saturday Review must be feeling sad. Only two weeks ago he wanted England to enter in alliance with Germany against the United States, but this desire for friendship is not appreciated in Germany. The German news papers continue to condemn the conduct of Great Britain with respect to the Boers, and now Joseph Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary, has come in for a hot roast in the Reichstag. It must make the Saturday Review feel sad.

Kipling's efforts to save old England from decadence by writing poems of more or less merit have stirred up the critics if nobody else. It will take something more virile and strenuous than bad verse to preserve a failing empire from ruin. Kipling may not succeed in saving Great Britain, but perhaps he can aspire to be its Jeremiah. The cackling of geese saved Rome, but history does not record an instance of poetry preserving a kingdom.

If the Cincinnati Enquirer is not talking through its hat it has found a man who can smoke through his ear. He is now trying to cultivate the trick of hearing through his mouth and seeing through his nose. When he has developed his faculties to this extent he will apply for a position under Marconi to telegraph wireless messages across the Atlantic.

General Funston is not spoiled by his rapid rise in the military service. His is a record to be proud of, but the American people will be all the prouder of him because he is still the modest, manly, sensible fellow he was before his promotion.

A POPULAR VICTORY.

The passage, in the House, by a practically unanimous vote, of Hepburn's bill appropriating \$180,000,000 for the construction of the Nicaragua Canal indicates the severity of the popular pressure on Congress in behalf of his measure. The people want the Canal, and they want it without needless delay. They are tired of the continued demands for more time to investigate, and their impatience with delays has had its effect on Congress.

If the feasibility of the Nicaragua route has not been established, why not? It has been examined again and again. Commission after Commission has investigated it, and presented plans and estimates of cost. For more than fifty years American engineers have been looking it over and figuring on it. The Walker Commission was appointed especially to provide Congress with accurate information on the subject. It is rather late in the day, therefore, to say that the matter has not been sufficiently investigated. It is a poor time to revive the talk about the Darien route or to stop to dicker with the Frenchman over the Panama Concession.

While there is still a disposition to shilly-shally, the House could not resist the pressure when the issue was forced to a square vote. Many who would like to delay declined to place themselves on record as opposing the bill.

However, the battle is not won yet. The Senate is yet to be reckoned with. That body is not so responsive to public opinion as the House, and its processes are slower. An effort will be made to amend the measure, which will cause it to be sent back to the House. A disagreement may bring about a deadlock. The combined railroad and Panama forces have rallied behind the Morris amendment, and upon it the fight will be made in the Senate, in the hope of bringing about a disagreement between the two Houses. The Canal opponents in the Senate are strong and resourceful, and their fight will be for delay. If the bill can be got through near the close of this session it will be as much as can be expected.

GIVES ADVICE TO
MAYOR BARSTOW

Mayor Barstow is in receipt of the following letter, which suggests a plan for raising money for the Nicaragua Canal. The Mayor believes the plan to be feasible, if it could be advocated in the proper manner. The letter reads:

"Seattle, Washington, Jan. 1, 1902. 'The Mayor of Oakland—Dear Sir: In the common interest of our country you will pardon the suggestion from me of a way by which the Nicaragua Canal may be constructed without the burden of interest bearing bonds; using merely a portion of the abundant credit of the government of the United States, and paying for the work from the earnings of the canal.

"First—Congress to authorize the issue of treasury notes, having full legal tender qualifications, to be known as 'Isthmian Canal Issue.' In such amount as may be necessary to complete the work; this money to pay all expenses connected with the construction of the Canal.

"Second—After completion, cancel these notes annually, at a rate corresponding in amount with interest charge were the work done upon the bonding plan.

"In comparatively short time the entire issue will have been redeemed, and our nation will own, free of cost, one of the greatest improvements in modern times.

"This suggestion is earnestly pressed in hope that you will give it consideration commensurate with the benefit which, in case it is adopted, will inure to the people.

Respectfully,
GRIFFITH DAVIES."

FILINGS IN COURT
TELL SIMPLE TALES.

E. C. Hawes, as administrator of the estate of August Breck, has filed an accounting of the sale of eighty acres of land in Murray Township, belonging to the estate, the consideration being \$50.

The Gould Oil Company was dissolved this morning by Judge Hall on the representation of James Gould.

The estate of Louis E. Spelzer has been appraised at \$2,500.

E. O. Allen and Edith M. Allen, children of the late E. O. Allen Sr., have transferred their interest in the estate of their father to their mother, Sarah P. Allen.

Mrs. Pauline Peterson has asked for a monthly allowance of \$50 for the maintenance of three children from the estate of Hans Peterson.

The amount of money received at the recent oil show for the benefit of the West Oakland Home was \$32.75.

The disbursements were \$172.48, leaving the goodly sum of \$39.27 to be placed, with the same sum realized from the Elks' Minstrels, toward the building fund.

BETTY MARTIN
TELLS OF THE
FREE SCHOOLS.

COMPLAINS ABOUT THE EX-
PENSE THAT PEOPLE
HAVE TO STAND.

Notwithstanding the fact that we have a magnificent public school system here, and that California stands in the front rank as regards methods and teachers, there are many serious defects which might well be remedied. As it now stands, our boasted free schools are anything but free.

The expense of attending high school, particularly, is very great. Every six months, should the pupil be promoted, several new books have to be purchased. These books cost anywhere from a dollar to a dollar and sixty-five cents apiece, and make short work of a five dollar gold piece. The price asked for high school text books is something enormous, and out of all reason. Besides, during the term there is a constant outlay for blank books and papers. The old-fashioned slate is not much in vogue, partly because of its clumsiness, and largely on account of its concomitant filthy sponge or rag used for cleansing. Pencils and paper are both cheaper than they used to be, but at the rate they are used by school children they cost more dollars than one before the term is over.

Many ambitious young men and women belonging to families in modest circumstances are compelled to give up all school education beyond the eighth grade, simply because their parents are unable to stand the constant expense of buying books, and until the State furnishes them free of cost to every pupil within her borders, our schools are not free in the full sense of the word.

Again, there are many other forms of expense attached to a high school education, which while doubtless adding to the attractiveness of school life for some, cause much jealousy and hard feelings among others of the less fortunate pupils.

I refer to the numerous "Frats." Of course it is not obligatory to belong to one, nor, so I have been told, is it easy to gain an entrance into any one of them. They are formed of certain cliques among the students who choose members by ballot. Meetings are held at stated periods, dues charged, frat pins worn, and occasionally a supper party or something of the like given. The great majority of students never belong to a "Frat"—many for the simple reason that they are never asked to join—others for the reason that they can't afford to. It is considered an honor to belong to one, and sometimes parents whose pocket books can scarcely stand additional strain, allow their children to become members for the social standing it gives.

Again, where is the paper published by the students, the price charged for it is not much, and every pupil feels that he or she should subscribe. The feeling of itself is a commendable one, and fosters a proper pride in school life, if people do not take stock in saving the pennies.

Then the high school pupils of Oakland have certain standards of dress. They are as a whole not what might be termed over-dressed, but certainly most of them are very handsomely attired, and many sons and daughters of business and professional men go to school better clothed every day than ever were their fathers and mothers at a similar age when dressed in their best.

It is the old story of the Lambs and the Trotters from Washington Irving told again. If one girl has a feather six inches long in her hat, her chum wants to adorn her headgear with a feather at least eight inches in length, and with more curl to it. The matter of dress causes many a pang in the breasts of our high school girls, and those whose clothing does not come up to the standard set by certain foolish mothers, feel cast in the shade beside their better dressed companions. Greater simplicity is needed. Nothing in the world is more attractive than youth and blooming health, and girls do not need the addition of rich clothing, silver chains and purses strung around their necks, and numberless rings adorning their fingers.

Another thing which certainly should be remedied is the home work system. Parents object to it, but all to no avail. A certain amount of home work would not be objectionable, but there is altogether too much of it as it now stands. The pupils are allowed a study period of but one hour daily, and the balance of the time is taken up with recitations. As each pupil takes four or sometimes five studies, unless special permission is obtained to take less, it will readily be seen how much work has to be accomplished out of school hours. Many students are compelled to sit up every night until ten and eleven o'clock working out problems, studying Greek or Latin or conning ancient history, when they had much better be in bed. Altogether too much is required of them. It is too great a strain on the mind and body of growing young people.

A high school pupil has almost absolutely no time out of school for anything but study. As far as home is concerned, it might as well be a mere boarding house—just a place to eat, sleep and study in—there is no time at all for home duties or affairs.

Apologies of schools and teachers, it is too bad that the State does not require every teacher to hold a normal certificate, at least. Some of the country schools have a habit of turning out teachers by the batch, as it were, at the end of every term, and of these, the favored ones manage to find positions among the neighboring schools regardless of lack of experience or ability. The pay in California is good—\$80 and \$75 dollars a month for

schools of sixteen to twenty pupils, and it is but justice to these pupils that they should have teachers of broad experience and some knowledge of the world as well as books.

Besides, it is an injustice to the other teachers who have spent years of time and money as well in fitting themselves for the profession, that they should have to enter into competition with those of practically no education at all.

BETTY MARTIN.
PIONEER P. MONAHAN
LAID TO REST.

The funeral of the late Patrick Monahan was held in San Jose on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, under the auspices of the Santa Clara Pioneers, of which organization the deceased had been an honored member for many years. President J. E. Leaman of the Pioneers conducted the services of the society. Secretary Alex. P. Murgotten delivered an eloquent eulogy, speaking in terms of praise of the noble character and moral worth of the deceased.

The remains were then taken to St. Patrick's Church, where the services for the dead were read by Rev. Father Maguire.

The pall-bearers were Lewis A. Spitzer, Samuel Boring, Gustav Brohaska, Page Hollister, James McQuade and Bernard Elwood.

The interment was in Calvary Cemetery.

On Saturday evening at 7 o'clock private services were held at the family residence on Oak street, the Rev. Father Morrison officiating.

WILL SPEAK FOR THE
CHILDREN'S FUND.

Henry Payot of San Francisco and member of the well known firm of Payot, Upham & Company has proven that others than Oaklanders are interested in the fitting up of the Children's Library.

Mr. Payot has consented to give one of his best illustrated lectures, "Under the Eaves of the World—India," entirely free of charge, in order to augment the Children's Library fund. As mentioned the lecture will be the use of the stereopticon lantern, it is expected a large sum will accrue.

The pictures from the life and scenery of India, as all travelers and readers of India, are not only fascinating and instructive, but fill the beholder with an intense desire to visit the far away country under the eaves of the Himalayas. Such has been the testimony of Mr. Payot lecture on the subject. The lecture will be given Tuesday evening, January 21st, in the Ebell rooms. Fifty cents admission.

GOOD WORK OF THE
LYON RELIEF CORPS.

Tuesday evening, January 7th was a scene of one of the most brilliant meetings of Lyon Corp. No. 6. Past Department President Mrs. C. A. Merritt installed the following officers: President, Mrs. Sarah M. Colman; senior vice-president, Mrs. M. Woodruff; junior vice-president, Mrs. A. Baker; secretary, Mrs. Ella Lewis; treasurer, Mrs. Monson; chaplain, Mrs. A. B. Merritt; conductor, Mrs. E. Waltz; guard, Mrs. Thayer; assistant conductor, Mrs. M. Sheehan; assistant guard, Mrs. H. J. Ball; color bearers, first, Mrs. Schultz; second, Mrs. V. Foot; third, Mrs. Jessup; fourth, Mrs. West.

The corps had a successful year, and great credit is due the past officers and committees for their untiring work and interesting meetings especially of the good work of Past Secretary Mrs. F. Morrell and Treasurer Mrs. Bronson.

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The woman said she was willing to pay the man that sum in the event that she succeeded in inducing her adored one to accept her as his wife.
The gentleman who was expected to do the introducing called on Law Librarian Patterson today, and asked him how to draw up a note promising to make a payment of the kind after the completion of matrimony. The Librarian declined to go into the matrimonial exchange business.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CRELIN—C. A. McClaine, Livermore; Hay Sterling, Hay Springs; Owen Moran, Seattle; L. Craig, Seattle; M. Pollard, Sacramento; P. P. Coulter and wife, city; C. M. Covey, San Francisco; Mrs. Hannah Seppola, city.
METROPOLE—Geo. B. Mowry, Brooklyn, Denver; J. Frost, New York; W. A. Walters, Los Gatos.
ALBANY—C. L. Mix, Jamestown, N. Y.; Edw. J. Wilson, Los Gatos; Mr. and Mrs. Bell, San Francisco; Ambrose Marston, Sonoma; Henry E. Sumner, Boston.
GALINDO—E. L. Storey, Los Angeles; F. W. Armstrong, San Francisco.

TOWN TALK.

The Californian Senator is discussed in this week's Town Talk by the San Francisco other paragraphs referring to Abramoff and his tribe; the Schmitz debut; Norris and his novels; two rich heiresses; Mammy Pleasant; and Mrs. Parrot; a brave attorney; cupid on a hunt, etc. Musical matters are very fully discussed by the music critic, and all the week's plays are reviewed by the Playgoer. There is a story by a St. Louis writer, the usual bright, accurate and lively miscellany with timely editorials, complete the number.

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NEW ADMINISTRATION IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Labor Movement Not the Political Bugaboo That Was Anticipated in Some Quarters.

(Special to the Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—It is rapidly becoming evident that the labor movement is not going to be the political bugaboo that was originally anticipated in some quarters. The discussions over patronage and the diplomatic work being done by representatives of the regular organizations are beginning to tell and it does not take much of a prophet to foretell that the reign of the representatives of toil is going to be short and not particularly sweet.

As far as the Democrats are concerned it is plain that they cannot hope to get much of a harvest from the new comers, for all the preliminary work of affiliation that they accomplished at the time of the Exclusion Convention has been offset by the recent manipulations of the Republican managers. The vote in favor of Governor Gage at the Vallejo Convention showed what good work had been done in that direction for it not only stamped him as a friend of labor, but makes it reasonably certain that he will get an official endorsement from that organization in his gubernatorial fight.

It might have been expected though that things would go that way. Schmitz who is the acknowledged leader of the new party is influenced to a large extent by Ruff and whatever else may be said of the attorney by his political opponents, no one can deny that he is a good Republican. It stands to reason therefore that as far as he is able, he will direct everything into his own party channels for he knows that his own political future will run in that course.

ON SHORT RATIONS.

With so little patronage at their command it is not surprising that the managers of the Republican local machine are finding themselves confronted by all kinds of trouble. So many demands for recognition have poured in that it is impossible to consider a large percentage of them, the result being that all those left out in the cold feel themselves personally aggrieved. Colonel Burns showed his good sense by starting for Mexico before the hour came around for the appointment of the county ratifiers, for now he cannot be accorded the blame that is being heaped upon the heads of those left in command.

It is in fact getting harder and harder each year to meet the demands of the job-seekers. In the olden days when Civil Service was only regarded as a myth there was some chance to satisfy the ever clamoring throng but now that the Mint, Custom House, City Hall, and all other centers of official labor come under the merit system, a perpetual frost exists and only those with extraordinary big pulls are able to make a landing. In the Federal service there is no possibility of changing existing conditions as long as the present policy prevails at Washington but at the City Hall there is at least a chance and that is why the skirmishing is so vigorous in that quarter.

At present no one knows what attitude Schmitz intends to take as regards Civil Service but those who are watching the course of events are inclined to the belief that so far as his power goes he will override the regulations. If the political horizon were favorable to a continued dominance of the Labor Party he would undoubtedly do otherwise but as it looks like a case of just one bite at the apple, there will probably be an attempt to get the biggest mouthful possible.

COMPLICATIONS COMING.

Taking all these things into consideration it becomes evident that it will take more than one "Philadelphia lawyer" to straighten out the snarls that are bound to be created as the months speed on toward election day. Any candidate for State office who wants to be in favor with the San Francisco delegation finds himself in possession of a mighty hard nut to crack for, in addition to the regular organization there are all the possibilities of the

HILL BROOK FARM.

The Owner Comments on Grape-Nuts.

A farmer with his out of door work might have reason to expect more than the average of good health if he would use proper food and have it well cooked, but many of them, in middle age, suffer from dyspepsia, and following that a weakened nervous system.

To show the value of a change in food we quote from a letter written by L. Flagler, owner of Hill Brook Farm, Charlottesville, Va.

"I have spent a very considerable amount of money in trying to cure my stomach trouble with medicines, and have changed climate several times. About two years ago I was taken worse. My heart and kidneys gave me much trouble. I could not sleep nights. Was very nervous, thin and discouraged. Finally I changed my food and began taking Grape-Nuts Breakfast Food. This agreed with me and I thought I could see my way out, so I have stuck to Grape-Nuts for a year and a half and gradually the old troubles have disappeared.

I have made splendid progress in health and strength, sleep well and can now do a good day's work for a man of fifty years.

I know that Grape-Nuts caused the change, and although I am now able to use other food as I like, still I stick to Grape-Nuts because I know how it nourished me, and besides, wife and I both like the food.

She says nothing has helped her nervous system like Grape-Nuts. We buy the food by the case and are very enthusiastic in regard to it."

Ruff-Schmitz regime. In any event it is a sure thing that the city delegation will be divided, for some of the districts are already asserting independence and a determination to run things upon their own hook.

Take the Forty-eighth for example the acknowledged banner Republican district of the municipality. Judge Dibble succeeded in carrying it for awhile, but at last the reformer got together and overthrew him by supporting Sutro, the Democratic nominee for Assembly. They furthermore made a declaration that if Dibble or any of his immediate followers should receive the nomination in the future they would pursue a similar policy, so since that time a good deal of work has been done by the organization with the object of getting them harmoniously in camp.

The Forty-first, however, is evidently determined to take an independent stand altogether and from present appearances it will hold aloof from the regular organization and will try to get its own representatives into the State Convention. Ex-Assemblyman Dinkelspiel, who lives in the district, has been endeavoring to smooth matters out by running as a compromise candidate for the Legislature, though judging by the reports that are coming in he will not be able to get the support of the Davis-Kellogg-Murdoch-Carrier combination.

THE SPEAKERSHIP.

By the way, should Dinkelspiel secure the nomination and reach the Assembly he will make a fight for the Speakership of the House. There are many "ifs" attached to that proposition though, one of the most important being as regards Pendleton, the present wielder of the gavel. When the State was re-apportioned, a Senatorial district was made up in Los Angeles that appeared to be at Pendleton's mercy, for it embraces his Assembly district and dovetails in and out where his friends are the thickest. Pendleton therefore has been an avowed candidate for Senator for the past six months, and although there is no change whatever in his programme, there is a little cloud on the horizon that may cause him a little trouble.

Pendleton is one of the most active Gage men in the Angel City, and as such has naturally incurred the enmity of Bulla, Hughes and the other champions of the Flint movement. In order therefore to strike a body blow they have got Ex-City Attorney Walker Haas into the Senatorial fight against Pendleton and say that they will give him a hard run anyhow. At this long distance range there is no way of even guessing at the prospective result of the set-to, for while Pendleton is popular and has a large following, the same trump cards are claimed for Haas. Furthermore, the fight will probably be conducted upon the lines of a Gage-Flint case, so with that big issue at stake the outcome is thrown more into the balance than ever.

Should by any chance Pendleton be retired from the Senatorial fight he would have no trouble reaching the Assembly again and that is where one of the Speakership "ifs" comes in for he would naturally desire to retain his present honors. Another question in this connection is the probability that Anderson might seek first honors again. He has not yet actually been announced as a candidate for re-nomination, but as the district is at his mercy and he is very popular there, he will undoubtedly make the trip to Sacramento again. Whether or not the former Speakership fight will be renewed, is however at present a conundrum.

A CANDIDATE IN DEMAND.

Outside of the possibilities of this Speakership matter, the South is going to have all it can attend to in any event. The point that is puzzling some people just now is as to where the organization intends to get its Supreme Court candidate south of Tehachapi, for it is true that Judge O'Connell cannot get his delegation out of San Bernardino, a sear will have to be made elsewhere. San Diego's doors are closed, for in that case does and between them they could head the State machine off at any point.

With Los Angeles also off the lists as far as Gage is concerned, and Orange county without any available man, it would appear that the only chance left is to run Judge Noyes of Riverside, and a mild boom has in consequence been started in his interests. To those who say that he is not enough of a State character to go upon the ticket, the machine men are answering that if they have enough votes in convention to land him there, the party campaign, added to the local patriotism of the south, will carry him through, so although no actual move has yet been made, it is evident that some figuring is in progress upon those lines.

FLINT WANTS SHAW.

As an offset to all this and as a direct aid to his gubernatorial fight, Senator Flint will undoubtedly essay to have Judge Shaw of Los Angeles openly ally himself to his cause ere long, for in that way he feels that he would have an argument with which to meet the point that a San Benito man cannot walk into Los Angeles county and carry off the delegation under a local candidate's nose, as would be the case with Gage. With Shaw in the race, however, the Flint tactics would unquestionably be to have the Los Angeles delegation put up in the Judge's interests, for then it could be claimed that it was a case of one local man against the other.

There has been some talk of late that the Flint boom south of Tehachapi has

subsidized a good deal, but Senator Bulla, who is in charge of the campaign down that way, says that such is not the case and that the lull is merely the natural consequence of the holidays. He intimates that within thirty days something will drop that will be heard all over the State, and those who have chafed at the late say that the Flint people are evidently going to make an early aggressive campaign all along the line.

Gage's friends, however, continue to express the most absolute confidence as to the ultimate result. They say that the State organization is in fully as strong a condition as it was four years ago, when Gage was nominated or in 1894, when Estee was placed at the head of the ticket, and they point to their past successes as an indication of what is to be this time. It cannot be denied that they have been working quietly but energetically all along the line, and as they have a positive organized strength in every county, Flint's fight must necessarily be an uphill one.

THERE ARE SO MANY COMBINATIONS

In sight, too, that to a great extent the contest will be decided upon points of generalship. With a full State ticket, three Justices and county tickets to figure on, it is evident that the side that can best manipulate its strength is going to have all the advantages of the set-to, so although there is no occasion just now for either Flint or Gage to go delegate-seeking, there is not a minute to be lost in doing up with the most available candidates and those with the best evidences of strength. As can be imagined, this is both a delicate and dangerous task, for one slip may affect the entire arrangements and a house of cards would not fall quicker than will the political structure that is erected upon the wrong kind of foundation.

SANTA CLARA'S FIGHT.

In this connection it is interesting to note that the part Santa Clara county is destined to play in the great struggle will soon be made manifest, for the State issue there hinges upon the local contest for supremacy that will be decided upon May 18th. If Mackenzie wins upon that day, then the delegations, State and legislative, with the exception of one outside Assembly district will be practically at his mercy, whereas, if the Good Government League secures control, the State machine legions will be routed and Flint and his friends in the ascendancy.

As in all contests of this character, each side is at present claiming to have an easy thing of it, and each advances arguments that to the individual who does not hear the opposition theories sound irresistible. For example, Mackenzie points to the fact that he and what he represents control the city government and the San Jose political machine, and that by virtue of these elements they are in a better position to fight than those on the outside. Furthermore, he directs attention to the outcome of a similar fight that waged upon the occasion of the last municipal election, when Mayor Martin, representing Mackenzieism, was re-elected by an increased majority over that by which he had previously reached the executive chair.

From the other side of the house we hear how since the Hayes brothers diverged part of their fortune into the newspaper business they have, by means of the Herald and Mercury, slowly but surely educated the people up to the necessity of overturning the present wearers of the purple. Furthermore, that the Good Government Club has been strengthened very considerably during the past two years and is in a better condition to cope with Mackenzie's organization than before. Lastly, that Jim Rea is now working hand-in-hand with the reformers in an endeavor to overthrow his former partner and present rival, and that his political cunning will be able to checkmate Mackenzie at many turns. And so it goes; practically a case of "You say your money and you takes your choice."

HERE AND THERE.

Surveyor-General Graham moved to town this week to take up his Federal duties as successor to the late General Gleaves. J. M. Gleaves, the present chief deputy, is to be retained.

C. T. Elliott of Modesto, who successfully engineered Congressman Needham's campaign, is at the Palace. Assemblyman Ray of Coulterville is in the city.

Mayor Clark of Sacramento came down during the week and made the political rounds.

Tuesday last was a memorable occasion for United States Marshal Shine, it being the twenty-fifth anniversary of his wedding.

HATTON.

LECTURED BEFORE TEACHERS.

Prof. N. B. O'Shea of the University, delivered a lecture on the "Hidden Forces of Education," yesterday afternoon at the Common School Assembly Hall, to the teachers of Oakland. The lecture was a physical and mental tour de force, the meeting was to have occurred at that time.

BUILT A MONUMENT.

The Best Sort in the World.

"A monument built by and from Postum," is the way Mr. J. G. Casey of Ayers, Ill., describes himself. He says, "For years I was a coffee drinker until at last I became a terrible sufferer from dyspepsia, constipation, headaches and digestion, and was a physical wreck. The different kinds of medicines I tried did not cure me, but finally some one told me I must leave off coffee and take up Postum Food Coffee. I was fortunate in having the new coffee made strictly according to directions. Now I have a rich flavor and I made the change from coffee to Postum without any trouble."

Gradually my condition changed. The old troubles disappeared and I began to get well again. My appetite began to grow and I could digest food. Now I have been restored to strength and health. Can sleep sound all night and awake with a fresh and rested body. Everyone who meets me comments on my getting so fat and well. I am really a monument built by Postum Food Coffee. It has helped me in body and mind, and am now a strong, healthy man. I know exactly what made the change, it was leaving off coffee and using Postum."

WOMAN FIGHTS ED. WEIDLER.

LIVELY SET-TO OVER A SEWING MACHINE IN WHICH CONSTABLE WINS.

Constable Ed. Weidler, the strong man of Justice Quinn's court, who guarantees to get anything he goes after, came near being brought home in a black wagon yesterday when he went after a sewing machine which was in the possession of Mrs. A. L. David of West Berkeley, and owned by the White Sewing Machine Company.

Yesterday afternoon, accompanied by the sewing-machine people, Weidler made a visit to the David residence with the intention of taking away the sewing machine, the woman having failed to make any payments on the same. For the sake of appearances, the sewing machine men were left a few blocks in the distance while Weidler swooped down on the unsuspecting victim. At the door the constable was met with a rebuff, the audacity of which nearly floored him. He was informed that the David family did not reside at that particular place. The constable insisted upon gaining an entrance to the place despite the protests of the angry woman and finally succeeded. Inside the house and Mrs. David answered by slamming the inside door in the constable's face. Weidler then began a systematic search of the place. The first door he opened he came face to face with a huge English mastiff, which animal showed fight.

After a half hour's talking the constable finally conveyed to the dog that he intended no harm and the animal at once made friends. After the victory over the dog, Weidler proceeded in his search, finally locating a locked door, which he opened with a skeleton key and was about to walk away with the long-sought machine, when, with a scream of rage, the woman of the house attacked him. The attack was made from the rear and before Weidler could get his balance, he found himself in the arms of a woman who scratched and tore at him in a vicious manner. Back and forth across the room they fought until finally Weidler caught the woman's wrist, which he twisted until she had her under control. Al White, who was passing the place, went in in company with one of the agents, and by that time the woman was free from the constable. She seized the machine agent and threw him out of the place, after which White and Weidler managed between them to pin her to the floor. Weidler then started out with the machine, but the sight of that machine added strength to the angry woman and she broke away from White and tackled the constable again. When the smoke cleared away the constable was victorious.

"I'll get your eyes," snapped the angry woman, who was again held by White and she tried to carry out her threat. Finally the machine was removed from the house with a parting remark from the woman: "I guess I am about the toughest you ever met."

Following the remark came a piece of furniture, which narrowly missed the constable's head. The rescuers then retreated with the spoils.

DEATHS REPORTED.

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MEDDLER TELLS OF THE KING RECEPTION.

Many Events That Interest the Social Set—
Luncheons and Parties Given
During the Week.

The event of the week was the debut of Miss King elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. King of East Oakland and her coming-out party on Thursday night was as elaborate and charming a function as has been given in East Oakland for many a long day. All of the local notables were there and the display of gowns was really charming. The amusement of the evening was dancing which went on constantly in a marquee built on the lawn and in spite of the coldness of the evening air, the dancers in their decorative frocks were warm and comfortable. The older guests remained for the most part in the big reception room, for the King house is so roomy that five hundred people can be entertained in it without crowding. Anyway I love a crush—there is something exciting about it—and unless one's rooms are well filled a function is not really a success.

The house was charmingly decorated with greens and flowers, the supper rooms in the basement where almost all the guests sat at once being especially charming with long garlands of smilax twisted around broad pink ribbons. Supper was served at small tables and was delicious, with champagne punch for the toasts. In the dining-room upstairs punch was served throughout the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. King received their guests at the door of the large reception room. Mrs. King wore an elegant white gown with a long train. She looked particularly youthful and blooming. Miss King was also in white, the lace of her transparent yoke being caught with diamonds at the throat. Her hair was most becomingly dressed, with a long blonde Janey Meredith curl over one shoulder and she carried an armful of pink roses. She is a very affable girl, with perfectly charming manners, and though pretty and very accomplished, she is not in the least affected. Mr. and Mrs. King are to be congratulated that she is so unspoiled, for it would not be unnatural if a girl who plays exceedingly well, recites well, sings well, dances well, walks well, has money and pretty clothes and a good style, should think well of herself. However, the debutante is, happily, very unassuming, and is sure to be a social success.

Assisting in the receiving line stood Mrs. F. M. Smith in an elegant black lace over pinkish lavender silk, adorned about the corsage and in the hair with elegant diamonds. Mrs. Smith wore her famous necklace and a great crescent of large stones, many smaller pins and ornaments, and a beautiful diamond aigrette, consisting of a huge canary diamond surrounded by white stones, and surmounted with a white eticrette. Next to Mrs. Smith stood Mrs. Sather in a handsome lace gown, also with many diamonds, then Mrs. J. W. Phillips, of San Francisco. Mrs. Henry Wetherbee radiant in pink and white, and Mrs. Ernest J. Cotton in a pretty, décolleté white gown. The young ladies who assisted in the receiving were Misses Caroline and Anita Oliver, Miss May Young, Miss Florence Lowden, Miss Bessie Palmer and Miss Violet Albright.

Miss Palmer wore a pretty gown of blue. Miss Burdge was also in blue and Miss Violet Albright wore a pretty pinkish white gown of muslin with an immense bow of pink velvet ribbon at one side of the corsage.

There were some lovely gowns among the guests and more full evening toilettes than one usually sees at an Oakland gathering. Generally in Oakland the effect is spoiled by the large number of high necks, which of course ruin the appearance of any evening assemblage. Among the pretty dresses that I happened to note was the elegant white satin and lace bridal gown of Mrs. George Wheaton Jr. who looked very pretty, the pretty pink and ribbon-trimmed gown of Miss Ada Kennan. It had a long sweeping Watteau bow in the back and was sleeveless. I also noted the blue and white striped Princess gown of Miss Isabelle Kennan, the pretty evening effects of the Misses Roney, the handsome gown worn by Miss Mollie Connors, the white broad-

ed satin of Mrs. Gilbert Curless, Miss Mabel Craft's pink satin, the green gown of Miss Marion Goodfellow, the black embroidered chiffon of Mrs. Walter Scott, the low-necked black net of Mrs. McLennan, the yellow frock of Miss Mabel Rutherford, the green dress of Miss Frances Irish and Miss Marion Smith, and dozens of others which slip my mind just now, only to return in a bewildering kaleidoscope of color. Miss White wore a pretty pink gown with a stunning pearl collar with diamond bars.

The Kings will be at home Thursdays in February. On Saturday evening, General and Mrs. Oscar F. Long gave a dinner at Highlands in honor of Colonel and Mrs. Miller. Colonel Miller, who has been in Manila, has recently come to San Francisco to take charge of the quartermaster's department, which position General Long formerly held until he was promoted to the head of the transport service. The dinner was a very delightful one, like everything given at Highlands.

I am sure that you will hear with regret of the really very serious illness of Bishop Whitaker, who made his home at Highlands while he was here attending the Episcopal Convention. He has been given a year's leave of absence from his duties as Bishop of Pennsylvania, and will probably spend much of the time in Florida. His friends would have liked to have him come to California to recuperate, but he particularly detests railroad traveling, which never fails to make him ill.

The Henry Butters are really quite active in entertaining these days. Right on the heels of their very successful New Year's eve party when they turned their beautiful Piedmont home into an exact replica of a Vienna garden, with little tables, characteristic decorations, the same sort of music, the same drinks and kettlers, winding up at last with a Dutch supper. They will give another entertainment—this time a charity affair.

This time it is the Woman's Exchange which is to be benefited, and I do not doubt that everyone on the Butters' visiting list will rush to see the house which contains so many charming souvenirs of Mrs. Butters' taste, her purse and her travels. The Bohemian Quartette sang for the New Year's party, and for the Exchange there will be music, too, including solos by Mrs. Peter C. Allen and others, but the real music that was planned for the occasion, the bawling and qualling of the baby show which was advertised, will not charm the ear of visitors after all, for it has been decided by the anxious mammas and the more anxious grandmamas that there are altogether too many children's diseases about to submit the poor little dears to the chance of catching things from each other, though each mother indignantly denies, of course, that her offspring has anything for another child to catch.

Mrs. W. E. Sharon is at the head of the entertainment and they hope to take in a good many hundreds of dollars.

Mrs. Will Meek gave one of the most unique luncheons of the season Thursday—a peacock luncheon with all the curse that resides with peacock feathers taken away by the good luck symbols in Japanese painted on the menu cards. The green cards, with peacock feathers strung through them were further decorated with gold thread and green jade rings with which they could be hung up.

Mrs. Meek's table was a beauty. It was first covered with white damask, in the center of which a gold skin was laid. On this stood a green vase filled with beautiful peacock feathers. A row of narrow feathers was laid outward from the vase and from the skin on the cloth. The candles were blue under dull green shades, and the almond dishes were green—it was a lovely color scheme and Mrs. Meek always gives us such good things to eat. The guests were the members of the Town and Country Whist Club and a few extra guests among whom was I. Those who sat at the table were: Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Acker, Mrs. Crellin, Mrs. Dunwoody, Mrs. Hathaway, Mrs.

Knight, Mrs. Horry Meek, Mrs. W. Meek, Mrs. Stone, Mrs. Charles Sutton, Mrs. J. L. Howard, Mrs. Coghill, Mrs. Farrell, Mrs. Lon Scott, Mrs. Beck, Mrs. Gordon and your humble servant.

Maude Berrill will be at the Columbia for two weeks in February. She will visit the Fishers in Oakland the last of this month.

I never saw so many teas in my life on both sides of the bay. Everyone is rushing to get everything through before Lent, and there are not many weeks for which Gott set dank.

Mrs. Lawson Adams, Jr., of Belvedere, formerly Hazel Curless of Oakland, has sent out cards for the third and fourth Fridays in this month. Her little home will be charmingly decorated, busses will meet her guests at Tiburon, there will be string music and half Oakland is going.

The big "coming out" of Anita Oliver is set for Tuesday afternoon. It will be as big as the King affair.

Miss Elsie Bennett's tea, at which so many very swell people will receive, is for next Friday, and Mrs. John Conrad of San Francisco has sent out cards for a tea next week. Altogether we do almost nothing except go to teas and pay our tea calls.

The same evening as the King reception, the McNears Sr. gave a very large dinner, dancing and reception in honor of Miss Georgina Hopkins, to whom their son Edward is engaged. The guests were from the young married people and the unmarried ones, and included from this side of the bay the Bowles, the Thomas Magees Jr., the Donald Campbells, the Seward McNears, the G. W. McNears, and the H. M. A. Millers. There were some gorgeous gowns, of course, for the Taylors are great dressers and keep everyone around them on their mettle so far as wardrobe is concerned. But the Taylors have the ugliest figures I have ever seen, especially the elder of them, who looks like a telephone pole hung with handsome stuffs. And neither of them, though they pose as beauties, are half as pretty as Mrs. George McNear. In fact, I'll go further and say that the Taylors in all their war paint are not as pretty as Mrs. McNear before breakfast, so there!

Among the dancing men were James Moffitt, Carl Howard and Tom Driscoll. The guests were:

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Miss Hopkins, the fiancée and guest of honor, was beautifully gowned, as ever, and received her homage very prettily. I hear that the wedding is not far off.

Mrs. May Albright and Miss Violet Albright, who have been visiting for some months in St. Louis and in other Southern States besides Missouri, have returned to their home in Fruitvale. They had a delightful time, of course, were guests of honor at many entertainments, and Miss Albright is already making plans to return next winter.

Miss Margaret Knox is spending the winter in Baltimore.

Miss Carmen Moore is being extensively entertained by reason of her recently announced engagement.

Miss Pearl King will leave soon on

a brief visit to New York. She will accompany her father on a business trip.

An interesting engagement is that of Miss Florence Edoff to Mr. Baldwin of San Francisco. The betrothal was announced last week and the wedding will not be long delayed. Miss Edoff is a pretty girl and was recently a bridesmaid for Miss Lulu Rued.

By the way, have you ever noted the great billows of sound that roll up from a tea? It is like nothing so much as a flock of geese cackling, but if you listen carefully you can hear the crackling of reputations and occasionally a character explodes with a loud noise—

great things, these teas.

I am sorry that the most interesting Christmas Eve celebration of which I have heard I cannot chronicle for your amusement. Really, it's quite too rich, but if I published it I should have to have it expurgated or you would surely think you had picked up one of the a-little-ahead-of-the-times weeklies by mistake. So you'll have to inquire around a little and find out about it as I did, for I assure you it's worth your while.

And now with this bee buzzing around in your bonnet, I'll say my adieu, feeling assured that for a week at least you'll not forget

THE MEDDLER.

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SAUTERNE.

SOUP.

Bouillon.

RELISHES.

Olives. Celery. Sliced Almonds. Rolls.

COLD MEAT.

Roast Turkey. Cranberry Sauce.

Ginger Ale.

SALAD.

Shrimp Salad.

Apollinaris Water.

DESSERT.

Fried Cream. Brandy Sauce.

Anzel Food. Chocolate Creams.

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Platonic Love IS A Dangerous Thing

WRITTEN FOR THE TRIBUNE

"We break the glass, whose sacred wine
To some beloved health we drain,
Lest future pledges, less divine,
Should e'er the hallowed too profane,
And thus I broke a heart, that poured
Its tide of feeling out for thee,
In draughts, by after-times deplored,
Yet dear to memory."
It may do very well to talk about platonic love between a man and woman, but as a matter of fact, such a thing is an impossibility. Platonic love may be for a brief period, but sooner or later, on one side or the other, it will ripen into some deeper feeling, always provided the parties to it are normal human beings. It is not in the nature of things for a

man or woman to take an intense interest in the concerns of a person of the opposite sex, without becoming equally interested in that person, and then the danger point is reached.
If both parties to the affair are single, well and good, but oftener than not these so-called platonic loves are between a married woman and an unmarried man, or vice versa.
Again, it is not infrequently the case that both the man and woman are married, and the home life of each not as congenial as might be. Mutual confidences are exchanged and many things told which might better be left unsaid. It is not fair for a man to give another woman

an insight into his wife's characteristics such as are revealed only in the home, neither is it the proper thing for a woman to tell things concerning her husband's habits and manner of doing things.
If he proves uncongenial, she should endeavor as much as possible to hide the fact from the eyes of the world, and not attempt to solace herself for her disappointment by seeking the companionship of an equally disappointed husband. It is better for all concerned to shut the teeth hard and say nothing, or, as the vulgar saying goes, "grin and bear it."
Whenever an unmarried man is in need of womanly advice, about the first

thing he thinks of is his friend's wife, and he falls into the habit of consulting her upon all occasions.
A man of this kind is apt to say that it is such a comfort to have a married woman to talk to. He can speak with her so much more freely than with a girl, he argues, and she has such a way of understanding him.
As a friend of the family, he is freely admitted to the house at all hours of the day and evening, and frequently sees more of the lady than does the husband himself, engrossed, as the latter is apt to be, with affairs of business.
The danger is rarely realized until too late for the peace of mind of one or both,

and often a broken home is the result.
It all commences innocently enough, like the friendship between the man and woman so graphically described in "Le Docteur Rameau," and not infrequently terminates in much the same manner, although different causes tend to bring about the result, unless both possess unusually strong attributes of self control.
When a married woman conceives what she pleases to call "platonic love" for an unmarried man, it is usually because her husband has failed to awaken responsive chords, and she proceeds to unbosom herself freely to the man who responds to her varying moods. This man will be platonic enough in his regard at first,

then he will commence to feel flattered by this constant seeking out and preference, and finally, before either is fully aware of it, he is paying lover-like attentions.
"After the flood, the deluge!"
Just so long as there are men and women in the world they will go on loving in the good old-fashioned way, with nothing platonic about it.
Good stout friendship can and does exist between men and women, but when they commence to wander into the realms of what some people please to call "platonic love" all is up with them.
Flirtations are dangerous enough, heaven knows, but they are mild in comparison with platonic affairs. The parties to a flirtation are usually armor-plated, so to speak, and retire from the field fresh for other conquests. They do not deceive themselves or anybody else. Flirting, with them, is a legitimate pastime, and indulged in much as a game of cards to while away dull care or speed the passing hour.
Flirts of either sex are said to be born, not made, and they go about, figuratively, with hearts at their belts, instead of seals, as did the warriors of old. But the hearts are usually worn out ones, not much worth taking into consideration, and rather frayed at the edges, whereas in platonic love, indulged in till the usual climax is reached, the hearts are apt to be bleeding ones.

BETIE.

WORK OF THE WOMEN IN MANY PLACES.

The women of the American colonies in the continental cities of Europe are drawn together by their common language and interests. Usually they meet once a week at the "English Church," but in the far-spreading city of London, where the language, the manners and customs of life, with but few slight exceptions, are identical with those of their own country, they seldom meet each other. American women in London form circles of English friends. The one general meeting of the colony is at the reception on the Fourth of July, given by the American Ambassador to the Court of St. James. American women living in London found with regret a few years ago that as time passed they were less in touch with each other and with the work and thought of their sisters in the United States, and so in the year 1899, at the suggestion of Mrs. Hugh Reid Griffin, Mrs. De Fries and a few others, the Society of American Women in London was planned and organized, and

gave its inaugural luncheon at the Hotel Cecil on March 5th.
The raison d'être of this society is the need of a center where American women may meet and enjoy the companionship of their fellow countrywomen. It is the ambition, as it is stated in its constitution, "to bring together women who are engaged in literary, artistic, scientific and philanthropic pursuits, with a view of rendering them helpful to each other and useful in society." In July, 1899, the society entertained at luncheon the officers and delegates to the International Congress of Women, then assembled in London.
In the October following it was decided to form committees, for the purpose of assisting in the Red Cross work of raising funds for the American hospital-ship Maine. Mrs. Hugh Reid Griffin, president of the society, was elected a member of the Maine committee, of which Mrs. George Corn-

wallis-West (Lady Randolph Churchill) was chairman. The amount raised for this fund by the society was over five thousand dollars. Several members helped with the American stall at the bazaar held for the benefit of the Clarence Wing of St. Mary's Hospital, and cleared over twenty-five thousand dollars.
The women who have fostered the growth of the society, and have seen it expand from small beginnings, think of these achievements, both social and philanthropic, it has in its first year justified its existence and indicated the lines of its future development. There is hanging upon the wall of the club-room a certificate which tells of the election of the London society to membership in the General Federation of Women's Clubs in America. By this means it is kept in touch with club-life in the United States.
The society has three rooms at

Prince's, handsomely decorated in Empire style, which are always at the disposal of the members, and also a large banquet hall, in which they hold their monthly luncheons, usually given on the first Monday. At these gatherings prominent women of any nationality are entertained and invited to speak on subjects they have made peculiarly their own. Members are privileged to entertain their English friends at stated times. Informal at-homes are held on the first Saturday afternoon of each month, to which members are privileged to invite both men and women, and they are largely attended. Music and recitations of a high order are provided, and the function ends in tea-drinking, the universal English custom.
Mrs. John Mulholland, one of the members, has presented to the society a base and gavel of peculiar interest. The base is made from a stone taken out of the wall of the officer's quarters

at old Fort Ticonderoga. The gavel is made from a bit of oak out of one of the vessels in Lake George in 1758, many years before the Revolution. It is superfluous to add that the history of the old fort is a part of the history of France, England and the United States.
Business meetings are held once a month. The constitution provides for election of active, honorary, life and non-resident members. Every candidate for active membership must be proposed by one member and seconded by another, and must be personally known by both proposer and seconder. Candidates residing outside the United Kingdom are eligible for election provided they are personally known and properly vouched by a resident member. The annual subscription for active members is at present two guineas (ten dollars and fifty cents); for members living abroad and country members residing not less than fifty miles

from London, one guinea (five dollars and twenty-five cents), the entrance fee being two guineas.
Enrolled upon the list of membership are the names of Mrs. J. C. Croly (Dennie June, the "mother of clubs"), Mrs. Ridgley Carter, Mrs. Deltz Glynes (formerly Mrs. Clymer, ex-president of Sorosis), Madame Canziani-Starr, Mrs. Crerar, Madame Belle Coie (the well-known singer), Mrs. McClure Hamilton (wife of the artist), Mrs. Anna Lea Merritt, Mary Anderson de Navarro, Mrs. McKinley-Osborne (wife of the Consul General in London, and cousin of the late President McKinley), Mrs. Rudyard Kipling, Mrs. Stephen Crane, Miss Elizabeth Robins, Clara Barton, Mrs. L. Chandler Moulton, Madame Antoinette Sterling, Mrs. Hodgson-Burnett, Mrs. H. R. Chamberlain and Mrs. Temple Kett.
In the past year the society has entertained at luncheon the Countess of Aberdeen, Susan B. Anthony, the Mar-

chioness of Dufferin, Mrs. May Wright Sewell, the Rev. Anna Shaw, the Countess of Warwick, Mrs. Charlotte Perkins Stetson, Mrs. Cheate (wife of the Ambassador), Lady Hamilton, the Duchess of Devonshire, Mrs. Jennens Miller, Mrs. Genevieve Ward, Mrs. Stanton Blatch, the Baroness Von Stutter, Lady Isobel Margesson, Miss Violet Brook Hunt, Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain, Madame Nevada, Mrs. Arthur Paget, Mrs. Moreton Frewen, Miss Evelyn Millard, Miss Ella Hepworth-Dixon, Mrs. Humphry Ward and many other noted women.
The New England Cooking School of the good Housekeeping Institute is this year giving a series of lessons by mail. Over a hundred young women living at a distance are taking lessons this way. Verbatim reports of the lectures are given, and the demonstrations are accurately described also.

Fashion Notes for The Women.

Now is the time of year when the shops display really tempting bargains, of which the prudent housewife avails herself. It has become a time honored custom in all the big dry-goods stores to hold "January reduction sales," during which the winter goods are marked away below former prices. The reasons for these sales are many. In the first place, the merchant of today can afford to keep upon his shelves goods which are at all out of date, and in the second place, even if he could, he needs the room for next season's things, so it behooves him to get rid of those on hand as rapidly as possible.
Of course, these sales are not patronized by the really fashionable people, but by those who like to be well dressed

and can afford to follow the leaders only at a respectable distance.
Many very substantial people, who bother themselves comparatively little about what they shall wear, wait for the January sales to do their entire winter buying, and are thus enabled to present a very good, if not strictly fashionable appearance, at much less cost than if the purchases were made earlier.
THE FASHION BOOKS.
The fashion books show little that is new in midwinter, although some very tempting gowns are worn at receptions and evening parties.
WELL DRESSED WOMEN.
All well dressed women of today wear tailor-made gowns upon the

street, and these are made, without exception, very tight fitting around the hips and extremely full below the knees, this latter effect being usually obtained by the addition of a circular flounce. Flat trappings and fancy buttons are the only decorations allowable, although dressier hats were worn this year than during previous seasons.
EFFECTIVE AND SIMPLE.
A very pretty and effectively simple evening dress was of white dotted Swiss, made unlined, with seven gored skirt finished with a deep circular flounce edged both top and bottom by a narrow ruffle bordered with lace.
The waist had a deep pointed yoke

of Valenciennes lace insertion let in between narrow strips of Swiss. The sleeves were elbow length, finished with a deep ruffle and a very chic touch was given by a black chiffon shoulder fichu, edged with white. A black velvet belt with white silk polka dots embroidered upon it, was worn, and a fetching bow of the same gave a coquettish appearance to the coiffure.
THE MILITARY STOCK.
The military stock is much worn with flannel shirt waists at present. It is made of plain white silk partly covered by another one of some color. This reaches to within an inch of the top and opens in front about three inches, where it is laced across with gold cord

through three eyelets embroidered a little way from the edge.
This outer collar is sometimes made of velvet and trimmed in a trefle design with gold braid, or in a Grecian border. It is sometimes made to meet at the lower edge, with a fancy clasp and cut away at the top, in which case there is no lacing.
Again the outer band slopes down to an inch width from each side of the neck, and sometimes it is merely a band tied in a small bow or passed through a gold buckle with one end looped around and falling below a few inches.
For wash stocks to wear with flannel waists the embroidered linen ones are very highly recommended. They are

made in colors and white as well.
FULL EVENING DRESS.
The sleeves for full evening dress have gradually grown less, until now they are of infinitesimal proportions. Often a band is the only finish, worn either above, across or just below the shoulder, and sometimes there is a tiny puff.
Bodices are very short waisted at the back and as long as possible in front.
Belts are wider than heretofore, and the fashionable buckles are indeed things of beauty. Outside of the jeweled ones those made of gun metal are much the most expensive and elaborate, and it takes a long purse to be able to indulge in one. It is the toilet accessories which cost and not the least among them are the belts.
STRAIGHT FRONT.
The straight front effect, now so much sought after, is often accomplished by wearing no corset at all, or at all events, just the merest excuse for one. It has become a great fad among society girls to wear silk underwaists, corded and slightly boned, made in colors to correspond with the evening gowns. Sometimes they are made of the same material as the gown itself, out of the bits of silk left over by the dressmaker. The fancy is a dainty one, but can only be indulged in by fortune's favorites, or girls who have a knack with the needle and plenty of time at their disposal.

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NOTES OF INTEREST FOR THE WOMEN

TOMORROW.
Tomorrow! Oh, tomorrow's
The day that I like best;
For though my sun's clouded
It's golden further west.
Obey the little sparrow!
Throughout the dark today
She sings of her tomorrow
And the egg she's going to lay.
I hear a sad soul sighing
"To have 'this vale of tears,'"
But makes no doubt he's lying
About a hundred years.
And feel no tinge of sorrow

When his ship puts to sea;
The ship that sail tomorrow
Sails soon enough for me.
For though my sun's declining
Behind yon hoary hill,
I know that it is shining
Beyond the summit still;
And howsoever I sorrow
I know 'twill pass away—
God gives us a glad tomorrow
For every sad today.
—Cy Werman.

THE FAVORITE FLOWER.
It is predicted that peonies will be the favorite flower this year. As a decorative flower, it has great possibilities.
The old-fashioned magenta peony was not seductive in color, but now you can have the flower in colors delicate as a wild rose—pink, white, mauve, purple, white with purple spots—what you will. Plant your peonies fairly deep into the ground in any good rich soil, and give them plenty of room and plenty of water. Treat them with generosity, and they will repay you by blooming lavishly and making

your whole garden flush with color. A dozen varieties massed together in clumps is a sight fit for the gods. Peonies may be planted at any time from now until April. The sooner the better, for our own sakes.
FASHIONABLE WEDDINGS.
Reports of the fashionable weddings in England in the last few months seem to show that orange blossoms, once an essential part of the bridal toilet everywhere in the British Isles, are declining in favor with English brides.
One distinguished maiden went to

the altar in St. George's London, wearing a wreath of myrtle, another with white heather and myrtle, several with lilies of the valley and one or two with the tiny Marchal Niel roses.
The principal objection raised to orange blossoms is that as natural flowers, their perfume is oppressive and brides dislike the artificial substitutes. But love of change and a wish to bring a little originality into wedding attire probably has more than anything else to do with introducing the new fashion.
OLD FRENCH CROWN.
France has no longer a King requiring a crown. Formerly, however, the French crown jewels were very valuable. Just after the French Revolution of 1799 they were valued at \$4,200,000, and consisted of 7,482 diamonds, 506 pearls, 230 rubies, 152 emeralds, 123 sapphires, 71 topazes, 8 garnets and 3 amethysts.
The entire regalia was shortly afterwards stolen from the treasury, and only a very small number of the gems were subsequently recovered.
This unprincipally paucity was speedily remedied by Bonaparte and the

Bourbons, whose purchase had increased the value to \$1,500,000. In 1875 the total number of stones was 77,486, the weight of which exceeded 19,000 carats. They are now considerably fewer, the Republic having sold several stones in 1884.
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THE SMALLEST EUROPEAN STATE WIPED OFF THE MAP

BRUSSELS.—The pending negotiations between Belgium and Germany for the cession to Belgium of the neutral territory of Moresnet, in exchange for a strip of land adjoining the German town of Eupen, will result in blotting out of the map the smallest of European states. More diminutive even than the principality of Monaco, than the republic of San Marino and Andorra, Moresnet, or as the Germans term it, Aaltenberg, is situated at the confines of Belgium, Holland and Germany.
Moresnet, although not a nation in the usual acceptance of the word, and though placed under the collective rule of Prussia and Belgium, is not, nevertheless, governed by a mere condominium. It cannot be placed in any recognized category of neutral states, such as Switzerland, Belgium, Monaco, Andorra, San Marino and other states. In this respect Moresnet holds a unique position, and the only possible defini-

tion of its status is that it is a provisional and an accidental neutral state. The territory of Moresnet owes its existence alike to the obscurity in the wording of a diplomatic document and to the inaccuracy of a map: its lease of life seemed destined to be a short one, and yet it dates from 1815, and all previous attempts made to suppress it have been futile.
In article XXV of the treaty of Vienna, of June 19, 1815, it was stipulated relative to the Prusso-Dutch frontier that in the former department of the Ourthe the five cantons of St. Vith, Malmedy, Cronenberg, Schleiden and Eupen, together with a portion of the canton of Aubel, should belong to Prussia; the new frontier was to follow the boundaries of the cantons in such a manner that a line drawn from south to north should cut the extreme end of the canton of Aubel, and be prolonged as far as the point of contact of the three former departments of the Ourthe, the Lower Meuse and the Roer.

As the Dutch and Prussian commissioners were unable to reach an agreement concerning the exact meaning of this article after several months of negotiations on the subject, it was decided to postpone the final settlement of the question; by a convention passed at Aix-la-Chapelle in June, 1816, the present regime was agreed to. After the revolution of 1830 and the independence of Belgium, the Dutch rights upon Moresnet were ceded to Belgium.
When the territorial limits of Moresnet had been fixed by the convention of Aix-la-Chapelle, a suitable form of government for the neutral district was arranged. It was decided that the territory should depend neither directly upon Belgium nor Prussia, but that the sovereignty of these two states should be exercised jointly. This sovereignty was delegated to two commissioners, whose powers are similar to those of the department prefects in France. The municipality of Mores-

net, at the head of which is a mayor, or bourgmestre, as he is called, chosen alternatively by Belgium and by Prussia. There are, besides, two deputy mayors and a town council consisting of ten members, appointed by the commissioners upon the mayor's nomination. The yearly budget of Moresnet amounts to 2,735 francs. This sum has never varied since 1814. Prussia and Belgium, neither of which has ever allotted any subsidy to the government of the neutral territory, divide this sum equally between them. It is, therefore, entirely by municipal taxes that the expenses of administering Moresnet are defrayed. There are five of these taxes—an income tax, a parish tax on all the inhabitants belonging to the Roman Catholic faith, a tax on saloon licenses, and a tax on dogs used as beasts of burden. The fifth and most important tax is levied on the Vieille Montagne joint stock company, which has a monopoly for working the calamin mines.
As for the nationality of the inhabitants of Moresnet, it was arranged by the convention of 1816 that they should be neither Prussians nor Dutch. This question of nationality was to have been settled at a later date. It has, however, remained open ever since. Legally the inhabitants are neither Prussians nor Belgians. The question was of small importance at the outset, for the population of Moresnet was only 229 inhabitants. But since then the population of the territory has increased rapidly, owing to the development of mining interests, which has necessitated the employment of a larger and larger number of laborers, and also because military service does not exist in Moresnet, which fact has attracted many Germans to the country. Finally, by an agreement made by Prussia, Belgium and Holland, it was decided that after the year 1850 only the original inhabitants of Moresnet and their descendants should be considered as citizens of the neutral territory, while the immigrants and their descendants have since then retained their own nationality. The present population of the territory is 3,008 inhabitants, namely 1,380 Prussians, 918

Belgians, 308 Dutch and 42 natives. They speak German, Plattdeutsch, Flemish, French and Walloon.
The entire Code Napoleon has been maintained in Moresnet, the judicial administration of the territory being divided between Belgium and Prussia. Civil and criminal cases are in the first instance tried at Aix-la-Chapelle, all other cases being within the jurisdiction of the court of appeals at Liege. Public instruction is not compulsory in Moresnet, and is under the direction of a committee of six members. There are two schools, both of which are managed by the Vieille Montagne Stock Company. Roman Catholicism is the prevailing religion. The neutral territory, being formerly dependent upon the Belgian parish of Moresnet, is placed under the jurisdiction of the Bishop of Liege. The parish priest is paid by the municipality, and the Vicar of the Vieille Montagne Company.
There is no special coinage in Moresnet, the coins of Prussia, Holland, Belgium and of the Latin monetary union being current. Belgian and German merchandise is exempt from all import duties on entering the territory of Moresnet.

In view of the pending negotiations for the cession of Moresnet to Belgium, it should be stated that, though a majority of the territory's inhabitants are of German origin, the people of Moresnet would prefer to be annexed to Belgium rather than to Germany, and this because they fully realize that they would enjoy a greater amount of freedom as subjects of King Leopold than under the rule of Prussia's military despotism.
Why, it may be asked, has Moresnet not become a sovereign state, in the same manner as Andorra, San Marino or Monaco? Some authorities have answered this question by stating that the small number of inhabitants and the diversity of races were insurmountable obstacles to the establishment of an independent state. It is doubtful, however, if these reasons can be accepted as conclusive. The truth is that a territory of such small dimensions must in order to become a sovereign state, evolve and be developed under natural conditions, and not be the result of an international diplomatic convention, a freak of history, so to speak, as is the case with the little commonwealth of Moresnet.

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MR. WHITNEY'S COTILION.
The Favors in the Third Figure Were Brought Into the Room in an Automobile.
Mr. William C. Whitney gave a ball Tuesday night for his stepdaughter, Miss Adelaide Douglas Randolph, at his house, No. 571 Fifth avenue. It was the first private ball of the winter and the leaders of New York were out in full force.
Fully 700 invitations had been sent out and it is safe to say that but few

regrets were received. It was not alone the dancing set that had been invited, but the heads of families as well and the young married people.
Mr. Whitney and his stepdaughter, who is a debutante of this winter, received the guests in the banquet hall, near the entrance to the ballroom. Miss Randolph wore a costume of white tulle simply made and garnished with lilies of the valley. She held a bouquet of these flowers.
The Whitney mansion is too beautiful and ornate to require further decorations than the superb tapestries, brocades and works of art that adorn its

walls, therefore, the formal embellishments were but incidental, and they were in exquisite taste.
The guests entered through the lower hall, the regular stairway to the grand hall being covered over to make place for one of the orchestras. This lower hall is hung with tapestries that almost cover the marble wall. The main scheme of the floral decorations in this part of the house was carried out with brilliant red poinsettia blossoms that gave an air of cheer and welcome in contrast to the snow outside. In the upper and grand hall pinazales in full bloom and the pink be-

gonia known as La Gore de Lorraine were massed about the fireplace and mantels and around the pultifore where was stationed Karl Kopossy's Hungarian band. In the library and the red drawing room adjoining were orchids and pink roses in vases.
The ballroom floral decorations were severely elegant, consisting of huge standards of American Beauty roses placed in the corners. The hanging globes covering the electric lamps were twined with the graceful Japanese asparagus vines and clusters of pink orchids. There has been an addition to the artistic treasures of this

room since Mr. Whitney opened his house last winter. This is a panel of Gobelin tapestry after Boucher, a sylvan subject, which has been placed at the east end of the ballroom. In the balcony of gilded bronze, one of the works of art of the Whitney mansion, Lander's full orchestra was stationed, playing for general dancing and for the cotillion that followed supper.
At half past 12 o'clock the supper tables, all of which had been prepared in advance, were brought to the grand hall from the upper and lower parts of the house and without confusion. This important part of the evening's entertainment was prepared by Sherry,

wands and the men silver hunting. The tables were placed in all the rooms adjoining the grand hall, except the ballroom.
It was about half past 1 o'clock when the cotillion began, and Mr. J. D. Roman, leading from one end with Miss Randolph, and Mr. Craig Wadsworth from the other end with Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney. It was an unusually large cotillion, there being about 300 dancing.
The favors selected and arranged by Mrs. Collins were extremely handsome and effective. In the first figure there were satchel muffs and delicate shades of satin trimmed with gauze and spring flowers and cigarette cutters of bronze representing animals. In the second the women received large floral

horns, trimmed with ribbons and flowers. In the third figure there were miniature automobiles for the women and automobile caps for their partners. For the fourth large satin puff bags, trimmed with pink roses, were given the women, while the men received satin sashes, and in the fifth there were strings of Venetian beads for the women and London walking sticks for the men.
The favors for the third figure were brought into the ballroom in an automobile in charge of a chauffeur in costume, including goggles, cap and a heavy coat.
At the conclusion of the cotillion there was another supper for those who desired it.

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WANTED—Hustling salesman for California; will be paid \$100 a week; whole time; high commission; contract, with \$25 weekly advance; while traveling; J. H. SMITH, Cal., Detroit, Mich. c
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WANTED—Competent girl for housework. 56 Eleventh st., near Oak. c
WANTED—A girl to assist in light housework in small family; good home. Apply 105 Eighth st. c
WANTED—Young girl for assistant cook; must be able to cook; 20 Eleventh st., near Harrison. c
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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Party to do up face curtains. Arlington Hotel. c
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LADY wants convenient unfinished room; would give assistance part of day instead of rent. Address 1024 Chestnut st., Oakland. c
YOUNG GIRL going to school would like to do home in family; will be paid for light services. Address 7415 Perilla street. c
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NICELY furnished room suitable for gentlemen convenient to cars and business part of city. References required and given. 109 Harrison st. n
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THE MACDONOUGH.

The management of the Macdonough has secured Myron B. Rice's clever company presenting Mark B. Swan's latest farce "Whose Baby Are You?" for Sunday night. This is said to be the cleverest

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est farce in point of construction and humor merit that has been written in several years. It is considered to be the greatest laughing success of the present theatrical season. The author describes it as an "effervescent comedy." It has all the sparkle of a glass of champagne and all the brilliancy of a diamond. The plot that hinges on a mistake about the unexpected presence of an innocent baby in the studio of an artist has a dash and ginger that has seldom been equaled in modern farce. Lighthearted situations and complications crowd each other in rapid succession and the entire play is enlivened with a quick line of puns, jokes and epigrams so that the audience never lags for a moment.

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THE DEWEY.
"The Slave of the Orient," one of the most sensational of modern melodramas, is to be produced at the Dewey Theater next week. This play deals with the Armenian massacres in Turkey, where all the scenes are laid. Historically the play is absolutely correct, much of its interest centering around the celebrated incident of the relief of some Americans of the U. S. S. Olympia.

The play will be given with an entirely new set of scenery, and it requires an exceptionally large cast. The humor scene is a remarkably clever portrayal of a Turkish scene.

On Sunday and Wednesday there will be a special matinee of "Little Lord Fauntleroy" by a very successful and popular company.

ALCAZAR THEATRE.
The great Eastern success, "For the White Rose," will be put on for a week's run at the Alcazar next Monday evening. M. L. Alsop and George Osborne will interpret the chief parts and they will be supported by the entire Alcazar stock company.

CENTRAL THEATRE.
The offering next week at the ever popular Alcazar will be the standard melodrama "Under the Gaslight." The great railroad tunnel scene will be shown in a way to thrill spectators with breath-holding interest.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.
Beginning next Monday evening the great new England drama, "Old Jed Prouty," with Richard Golden as "Jed," will be the attraction at the California for one

week. This splendid play will be given with special scenery.

LORD FAUNTLEROY.
A rare treat is in store for the patrons of the Dewey Theater. Mr. Landers Stevens announces that on Sunday, January 12, and Wednesday, January 15, a special matinee will be given by the Washington Company (inc.), supporting the clever child actress now before the footlights, Miss Ollie Cooper. In Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett's beautiful play, "Little Lord Fauntleroy," this company has just completed a tour of the coast, playing to crowded houses everywhere. The supporting company includes such well known performers as Mrs. Jas. M. Ward, Fred A. Cooper and Miss George Woodhouse. "Little Lord Fauntleroy" is a play which delights and instructs, and should be seen by both young and old. A beautiful souvenir of Miss Ollie Cooper will be given away at each performance.

MINSTREL SHOW.
In conversing with Mr. H. Henry, the Minstrel King, upon the subject of future minstrelsy, people are greatly surprised to find him a fluent talker and a well read man in general. Mr. Henry says: "The minstrel show is the most popular of all amusements, and things must be altered to meet it. The minstrel show must be a new thing, and if you haven't it they seek elsewhere. It is a play which delights and instructs, and should be seen by both young and old. A beautiful souvenir of Miss Ollie Cooper will be given away at each performance."

IMPROVEMENTS MADE IN FRUITVALE.

FRUITVALE, Jan. 11.—Tonight Mrs. H. G. Hinckley will give a dancing party in her residence on Fruitvale avenue. The rooms will be beautifully decorated and about fifty friends will be present. Following the dance refreshments will be served.

The work on Merrill avenue has been completed and the street is now in first-class shape. The town improvement club secured the improvement through Supervisor Talcott.

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NEWSY NOTES FROM NEWARK.
CYPRESS LODGE, D. OF H., MAY BE COMPELLED TO GIVE UP ITS CHARTER.

NEWARK, Jan. 11.—The little Burgess has been recovering from his attack of scarlet fever, and the quarantine will be raised next week. The boy has at no time been confined to his bed.

It is said that Cypress Lodge, D. of H., is contemplating a surrender of its charter, the removal from the town of some members and the withdrawal of others from the order being among the causes for the step.

William Smith, foreman at Graham's foundry, has recovered so far as to be able to be at the shop several times of late.

Mrs. E. T. Stevenson left here on Wednesday for Danville, where her sister, Mrs. Mattie Shuter, is ill, with no hopes of recovery.

Harry Watkins was in town on Sunday last.

Richard Gibbons visited his family on Sunday, but has now returned to San Jose.

The public school will open on Monday next, with Miss Louise Douglas as principal. Miss Jones intermediate class, and Miss M. Wales in the primary department.

MACHINE SHOP GOES UP AT ELMHURST.
ELMHURST, Jan. 11.—Tonight the Elmhurst Social Club will give a Banquet at Elmhurst Men's Hall. The affair promises to be of great interest, and will be followed by a dance.

Yesterday George Graves, E. Parks and D. Aaseon went duck shooting and secured a fine bag of thirty ducks. Work will be started in a few days on a large machine shop at Stone's ranch, between here and San Leandro.

The shop will be fitted out in first-class shape and will be located back of the blacksmith shop.

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HAYWARDS HAS A DRY SEASON BUILDING ROOM IN PLEASANTON.

A BOY NAMED HARRY BRECK THE HERO OF A LIVELY DASH ON THE ROAD.

HAYWARDS, Jan. 11.—The past year has been one of great advancement in this place. New houses, business buildings and a cannery, constructed at a cost of \$75,000, have marked the advance of Haywards. The principal improvement of the year was the rebuilding of Hunt Brothers' big cannery. The entire plant was reconstructed, new machinery put in, one hundred cottages were built for the employees and a hotel was included. The entire cost of these amounted to more than \$75,000. Among the improvements of the year are as follows: John Corbett, new residence and barn on A street, \$2,000; Mrs. Enos, house on C street, \$1,000; W. E. Braden, house on Gum Tree tract, \$1,500; Antonio Corbett, barn, \$1,200; J. W. Enos, residence 13 street, \$2,500; E. H. Kerouche, residence on Bassett tract, \$3,500; J. Beckmeier, poultry building, \$700; A. Ranney, addition to residence, \$2,000; J. Schollers, addition to residence, \$3,000; J. F. Wadsworth, residence on Gum Tree tract, \$1,500; Nels Quist, residence, \$3,000; J. Sylvia, store in Homestead, \$700; W. Maslow, barn, \$1,000; M. Henry, stock barn, \$800; J. Kigore, residence, \$1,200; J. Rogers, residence in Cull Canyon, \$1,000; J. W. Braden, residence in Homestead, \$2,500.

The outlook for the present year is also very promising, several new houses being now in progress, with others in the future.

MACADAMIZING.
The work on Haywards avenue is progressing very rapidly. Already the macadamizing has been completed nearly a third of the distance between the town limits and the Castro Valley bridge, where it will end. E. B. and A. L. Stone are doing the work.

HERO OF A RUNAWAY.
A runaway occurred several days ago in which Harry Breck, a 12-year-old boy figured as hero. The boy had been driving about with a team of horses attached to a light wagon. When he reached B street the horses became frightened at a crowd of boys and ran away. The driver, instead of falling off the wagon, clung to the reins and kept the horses in the middle of the road until they ran themselves down. When the animals finally stopped the boy found himself more than two miles from town and the horses were not injured.

The boy, who is a native of Haywards, was taken to the town limits and the Castro Valley bridge, where it will end. E. B. and A. L. Stone are doing the work.

SPRING VALLEY.
From present indications the Spring Valley Water Company will be seriously handicapped this year, as the continued dry weather has caused the rainfall this season to be very small. The company named depended on this season for much of its water supply, the result is obvious.

A DRY WINTER.
Old residents in Pleasanton and its vicinity state that they have never seen so dry a winter, except in 1893 and '94. The rainfall this season is but three and one-half inches, while the average is about seven inches.

Alameda creek is barren of water for miles near here and if rain does not come soon, farmers will prepare for a drought. The rainfall in San Francisco this season has been very small, and it is said that the record in the metropolis being seven inches for the season.

"MAN FROM MEXICO" LOSES A POINT.

The Supreme Court has dismissed one of the questions on which the appeal of Adam Mantell went to that body, with a view of having the decree of divorce granted to his wife, Eva Mantell, set aside.

The argument in support of sustaining the decision of the lower court was made by Attorney Mendenhall. The point sustained was that Mantell took his appeal later than six months after the decree had been granted. Mendenhall stated that the limit had been exceeded by four days.

Mantell's other objections to the decree was that there were no findings of fact, that the lower court had refused to set aside the decree and that statements of his wife given in consideration. Authorities were submitted on these features by the contending counsel.

Mantell is known as "The Man from Mexico." He managed to get Miss Eva Cuthbert of Fruitvale, through an advertisement, to marry him, the bride making the trip to Chihuahua, Mexico, in company with Katherine Maxwell, in whose company she was married.

The couple lived together one day, the bride returning to this city, where she secured a divorce.

OAKLAND BARBERS WILL NOT LOSE MONEY.
The Oakland Barbers' Union will not lose one cent by the defection of its runaway treasurer, Thomas E. Johnson, who fled to parts unknown last Sunday, with \$150.00 of the union's money.

The union held a meeting at California Hall and the discovery was made that the bond given by the union for the defection of Johnson was for \$150.00. The union's money was not lost.

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS WILL BE JOURNALISTS.
The Polytechnic High School Alumni Association is to enter the field of journalism.

At a meeting of the association it was decided to establish a paper which would represent the popular school's interests and the news of the city. The information is a happy one, inasmuch as it will be entitled "The Scribble."

The business management of the paper will be under the control of Jesse Scherman and his assistants will be Irving Jones, representing the school, and the editor will be in charge of Henry L. Perry and associated with him will be Miss Emma Bingham, Miss Ruth F. Lahan, Miss May Craft, Frank R. Dimpfel, George Dimpfel, and Alexander W. Van der Meer, who will be in charge of the general direction of affairs.

It was stated at the meeting that the school has received several good offers for the paper, and that the school is making a conviction certain.

DEATH OF YOUNG WOMAN.
Miss Ida Sephus died at her residence, 535 Fairview avenue, after a lingering illness. She was a native of Visalia, she was 25 years of age. The funeral will be held Sunday, January 13, at 10 o'clock, at the Mountain View Cemetery.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
John C. Bitter, Oakland, 11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-832-833-834-835-836-837-838-839-840-841-842-843-844-845-846-847-848-849-850-851-852-853-854-855-856-857-858-859-860-861-862-863-864-865-866-867-868-869-870-871-872-873-874-875-876-877-878-879-880-881-882-883-884-885-886-887-888-889-890-891-892-893-894-895-896-897-898-899-900-901-902-903-904-905-906-907-908-909-910-911-912-913-914-915-916-917-918-919-920-921-922-923-924-925-926-927-928-929-930-931-932-933-934-935-936-937-938-939-940-941-942-943-944-945-946-947-948-949-950-951-952-953-954-955-956-957-958-959-960-961-962-963-964-965-966-967-968-969-970-971-972-973-974-975-976-977-978-979-980-981-982-983-984-985-986-987-988-989-990-991-992-993-994-995-996-997-998-999-1000-1001-1002-1003-1004-1005-1006-1007-1008-1009-1010-1011-1012-1013-1014-1015-1016-1017-1018-1019-1020-1021-1022-1023-1024-1025-1026-1027-1028-1029-1030-1031-1032-1033-1034-1035-1036-1037-1038-1039-1040-1041-1042-1043-1044-1045-1046-1047-1048-1049-1050-1051-1052-1053-1054-1055-1056-1057-1058-1059-1060-1061-1062-1063-1064-1065-1066-1067-1068-1069-1070-1071-1072-1073-1074-1075-1076-1077-1078-1079-1080-1081-1082-1083-1084-1085-1086-1087-1088-1089-1090-1091-1092-1093-1094-1095-1096-1097-1098-1099-1100-1101-1102-1103-1104-1105-1106-1107-1108-1109-1110-1111-1112-1113-1114-1115-1116-1117-1118-1119-1120-1121-1122-1123-1124-1125-1126-1127-1128-1129-1130-1131-1132-1133-1134-1135-1136-1137-1138-1139-1140-1141-1142-1143-1144-1145-1146-1147-1148-1149-1150-1151-1152-1153-1154-1155-1156-1157-1158-1159-1160-1161-1162-1163-1164-1165-1166-1167-1168-1169-1170-1171-1172-1173-1174-1175-1176-1177-1178-1179-1180-1181-1182-1183-1184-1185-1186-1187-1188-1189-1190-1191-1192-1193-1194-1195-1196-1197-1198-1199-1200-1201-1202-1203-1204-1205-1206-1207-1208-1209-1210-1211-1212-1213-1214-1215-1216-1217-1218-1219-1220-1221-1222-1223-1224-1225-122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